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full body vote on the confirmation on the 27th which will be the last day. That violates the rule of waiting seven days after a hearing notice, and so we would ask for a suspension of the rules so that we can hold this hearing six days instead of seven days after the notice. That is the extent of the motion to suspend the rules. I hope that I can garner your support. If you have any questions, I would be glad to answer them. That's just the way things happen when the schedule changes.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Schrock. Senator Schrock, you're recognized to close.

SENATOR SCHROCK: Just the fact that we can't provide the seven-day notice and still have the confirmation hearing and have the vote by the full body on the last day of session, so we're going to try and move that up to six days' notice and we need the support of the body to suspend the rules to do that.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: The question is the suspension of the rules on scheduling of a public hearing. Those in favor vote aye, those opposed nay. Please record.

CLERK: 36 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the motion to suspend the rules. In conjunction with that, Mr. President, I have a hearing notice from the Natural Resources Committee. (Legislative Journal pages 2280-2281.)

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Mr. Clerk. Members, we will proceed to Final Reading. (Visitors introduced.) We are on Final Reading if you would proceed to your desks. Mr. Clerk, LB 51.

CLERK: (Read LB 51 on Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall the bill pass? Those in favor vote aye, those opposed nay. Please record.

CLERK: (Record vote read, Legislative Journal page 2281.) 47 ayes, 0 nays, 1 present and not voting, 1 excused and not voting, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: The bill is passed. Mr. Clerk, LB 54.